Mountain Weather Forecast

North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Friday 05 Mar 2021 until 23:59 on Saturday 06 Mar 2021

Forecast Issued on Friday 05 Mar 2021 at 03:11 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for settled conditions over the next couple of days, but large uncertainty in the extent of rain from Sunday onwards.

Headline for Friday 05 Mar 2021: Dry with light winds. Mostly cloudy.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 05 Mar 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability					
00%	00%	00%	00%	00%	00%

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Weather: Dry. Mainly cloudy but a few sunny intervals.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 80%

Visibility: Very good with great clarity to the air. Poor where the cloud above 1000m covers the higher tops.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	7/9 N	5/6 S	7/9 SW	9/12 W	8/10 W	10/13 W	13/17 W
900	5/6 NE	4/5 NW	4/7 W	7/9 W	8/10 SW	9/12 SW	11/15 SW
600	3/4 N	3/4 NW	4/6 W	6/9 W	7/9 SW	7/10 SW	7/11 SW
300	2/2 W	2/4 SW	4/8 SW	4/7 W	3/7 SW	3/8 SW	4/9 SW
Glen	3/4 W	3/5 S	5/8 SW	4/8 NW	4/6 W	4/8 SW	4/10 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	-12/-18	-12/-18	-8/-12	-7/-12	-9/-14	-8/-15	-8/-15
900	-5/-8	-5/-7	-4/-6	-2/-6	-3/-8	-4/-9	-4/-9
600	-3/-5	-3/-5	-1/-3	0/-3	-1/-4	-2/-5	-2/-6
300	-4/-6	-2/-3	2/0	4/2	0/-2	-2/-4	-2/-5
Glen	-3/-4	-1/-2	3/1	5/3	2/-0	-0/-2	-2/-3
Freezing Level*	00m	00m	100m	300m	200m	100m	00m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Nothing extra.

Forecast for Saturday 06 Mar 2021
Weather: Another cold start with a frost for most parts, then a dry day with plenty of sunshine through morning. A cloudier afternoon looks likely, although remaining dry and most cloud above the summits. Dry, occasionally clear through evening.

Maximum wind: Southwest 15-25mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 90% with very little, if any low level cloud.

Visibility: Very good.

Temperature: **Glens:** Minus 1 or 2C rising 5 or 6C.
At 800m: Minus 3C.
Freezing level: 200m rising 600m.

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